



In RE application of E. AKAGAWA et al.

Patent

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Examiner: W. H. Choi

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Group Art Unit: 2189

For: FAULT NOTIFICATION BASED ON VOLUME ACCESS CONTROL INFORMATION (As Amended)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 15, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

A Request for Continued Examination and the required fee accompany this paper.

Amendments to the Title

Page 1 of the specification, before the first line, please replace the Title with the following amended Title:

~~NETWORK MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, MANAGEMENT COMPUTER, AND
MANAGING METHOD FOR PROVIDING NOTICE OF A FAULT IN A
VOLUME~~
**FAULT NOTIFICATION BASED ON VOLUME ACCESS CONTROL
INFORMATION**